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GAS SENSING ELEMENT

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated November 15, 2004, kindly enter the following amendment and remarks.